

REMARKS

Claims **1, 4, 6-11, 14-20, 22, 24-31, 34-41** and **43-49** are pending in the application.

Claims **1, 4, 6-7, 30-31, 34-41** and **43-49** stand rejected. Given the purported infirmities posited in the Office Action, Applicant assumes that, in fact, claims **1, 4, 6-11, 14-20, 22, 24-31, 34-41** and **43-49** all stand rejected.

Claims **1** and **40** have been amended.

Rejection of Claims under 35 U.S.C. §101

Claims 1, 4, 6-11, 14-20, 22, 24-31, 34-41 and 43-49 (as noted, per Applicant's assumption) stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101 because the claimed invention is directed to non-statutory subject matter. In accord with the Examiner's suggestions, Applicant has amended claims 1 and 40 to address the Examiner's concerns. In further accord with the Examiner's suggestions, Applicant has amended the Specification to remove references to terms that might somehow be interpreted as relating to carrier wave media. No new matter is added thereby. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that the pending claims are clearly statutory. As such, Applicants respectfully request the withdrawal of this rejection, and respectfully submit that claims 1, 4, 6-11, 14-20, 22, 24-31, 34-41 and 43-49 are in condition for allowance.

CONCLUSION

In view of the amendments and remarks set forth herein, the application is believed to be in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is solicited. Nonetheless, should any issues remain that might be subject to resolution through a telephonic interview, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at 512-439-5084.

If any extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) are required in order for this submission to be considered timely, Applicant hereby petitions for such extensions. Applicant also hereby authorizes that any fees due for such extensions or any other fee associated with this submission, as specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17, be charged to deposit account 502306.

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